in his Majesty's Customs, and for the Limitation of Officers Fees; L.H.J. whereby all Under Clerks and Deputies, writing in any of the Offices, June 8 or doing any Service in them, were obliged and directed to take an Oath in the same Act prescribed, on or before the 10th Day of July then next following. Upon Enquiry into a Compliance with the said Act, this House find, that no one of the Clerks or Deputies therein mentioned took the Oath prescribed, except the Register of the High Court of Chancery. We humbly apprehend, that Officers dispensing with positive Acts, may prove of dangerous and evil Consequence; therefore pray, that your Excellency will be pleased to make such Order, as to you in your Wisdom shall seem most just, that Right may be done therein.

Which was read and assented to, and signed by Order of the p. 179 House by the Honourable Speaker.

Daniel Dulany, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Journal of Accounts, and the following Message: (See page 533)

Ordered, That Col. R. J. Henry and Mr. Stoddert do acquaint his Excellency, that this House hath prepared an Address to be presented to him, and desires to know when and where he will please to receive it: They return and acquaint Mr. Speaker, that the Governor signified he was ready to receive the Address immediately.

Ordered, That Col. Hooper and three more do present the Address.

Dr. Carroll delivers to Mr. Speaker an Address to the Governor: which was read, approved, and ordered to be Ingrossed.

Col. Hammond, from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker the several Paper Bills (the Ingrossed Bills of which had been severally read and assented to by both Houses this Session) severally Indorsed, "By the Upper House of Assembly: The Ingrossed Bill, whereof this is the Original, is read and assented to.

"Signed per Order, J. Ross, Cl. Up. Ho."

Dr. Carroll, delivers to Mr. Speaker the following Address to the Governor, Ingrossed; viz.

To his Excellency Samuel Ogle, Esq; Governor of Maryland;

The Humble Address of the House of Delegates.

May it please your Excellency,

We have considered your Excellency's Message of the 6th Instant, in Relation to the Public Buildings, and ordered a View to be made of them; which we shall communicate to the Upper House, that an Ordinance may be made to provide for the Repairs necessary for those Buildings; wherein we hope for your Concurrence.

Which was read and assented to, and signed by Order of the House by the Honourable Speaker.

Ordered, That Mr. Key and Mr. Crabb do acquaint his Excel- p. 180 lency, that this House hath prepared an Address to him, and desires